

IN THE  
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Inventor(s): Travis J. PARRY et al.

Application No.: 09/873,094

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Title: METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR PROMOTING USE OF CONSUMABLE GOODS IN IMAGING DEVICES

Confirmation No.: 3103

Examiner: MHYRE, James W.

Group Art Unit: 3622

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- (X) Response/Amendment ( ) Petition to extend time to respond  
( ) New fee as calculated below ( ) Supplemental Declaration  
(X) No additional fee  
(X) Other: Decl. of Prior Invention; Return postcard (X2) (fee \$ )

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TOTAL CLAIMS	36	MINUS	36	= 0	X \$50	\$ 0
INDEP. CLAIMS	6	MINUS	6	= 0	X \$200	\$ 0
[ ] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$360	\$ 0
EXTENSION FEE	1ST MONTH \$120.00	2ND MONTH \$450.00	3RD MONTH \$1020.00	4TH MONTH \$1590.00		\$ 0
OTHER FEES						\$
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$ 0

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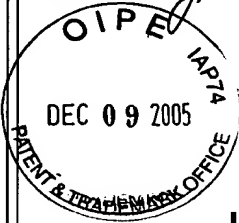
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**PATENT APPLICATION**

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**SIR OR MADAM:**

**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

This combined Response is being filed responsive to the October 27, 2005 Final Office action for Application serial number 09/873,094. A corresponding Declaration of Prior Invention pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.131 is being filed contemporaneously herewith.

**Claim Summary:**

Claims originally present: 1-36.  
Claims previously canceled: none.  
Claims previously amended: 1, 10 and 12.  
Claims previously added: none.  
Claims hereby canceled: none.  
Claims hereby amended: none.  
Claims hereby being added: none.  
Claims remaining: 1-36.

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